

## Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 BONN 02996 171721Z  
ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 EA-07 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00  
COME-00 EB-08 FRB-03 INR-07 NEA-10 NSAE-00 USIA-06  
OPIC-03 SP-02 TRSE-00 CIEP-01 LAB-04 SIL-01 AGRE-00  
OMB-01 SS-15 NSC-05 L-03 H-01 PRS-01 PA-01 STR-04  
/115 W

-----171945 081075 /43

R 171710Z FEB 77  
FM AMEMBASSY BONN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5718  
INFO USMISSION EC BRUSSELS  
USMISSION OECD PARIS  
USDEL MTN GENEVA  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN  
AMEMBASSY DUBLIN  
AMEMBASSY LONDON  
AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG  
AMEMBASSY PARIS  
AMEMBASSY ROME  
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE  
AMEMBASSY TOKYO

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE BONN 02996

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRD, EEC, OECD  
SUBJECT: XCSS DISCUSSION OF TRADE PLEDGE

REF: BONN 2101

1. ECONMIN TRADE POLICY OFFICIAL (KUEHN) EXPRESSED CONCERN TO EMBOFF REGARDING THE SCENARIO FOR HANDLING THE TRADE PLEDGE IN THE OECD. HE HAS LEARNED THAT THE OECD SECRETARIAT WISHES TO HAVE A SUBSTANTIVE DIS-

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 BONN 02996 171721Z

CUSSION OF THE TRADE PLEDGE AT THE MARCH 3-4 XCSS MEETING, AND HE UNDERSTANDS THAT THE SECRETARIAT HAS U.S. SUPPORT.

2. KUEHN SAID THAT IT REMAINS THE FRG'S "FIRM CONVICTION" THAT COORDINATION WITHIN THE EC ON THE TRADE PLEDGE WILL NOT BE COMPLETED BY MARCH 3 AND THAT

THE EC WILL THEREFORE NOT BE ABLE TO TAKE A FIRM POSITION AT THE XCSS FAVORING RENEWAL OF THE PLEDGE. BECAUSE OF THIS TIMING PROBLEM WITH EC COORDINATION, FRG WOULD MUCH PREFER TO DELAY SUBSTANTIVE CONSIDERATION OF THE TRADE PLEDGE TO MARCH 22, WHEN THE TRADE COMMITTEE CAN TAKE IT UP.

STOESSEL

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** TRADE, ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, FINANCIAL TRENDS  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 17-Feb-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977BONN02996  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D770057-0593  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** BONN  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1977/newtext/t19770233/aaaabdgg.tel  
**Line Count:** 69  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** c3d3a1c5-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION EUR  
**Original Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 77 BONN 2101  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 03-Mar-2005 12:00:00 am  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 3300780  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** XCSS DISCUSSION OF TRADE PLEDGE  
**TAGS:** ETRD, GE, EEC, OECD  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkvgwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/c3d3a1c5-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
22 May 2009  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009